Docket No. 15162/01590



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

U.S. Application of: Katsuhiko ASAI, Hiroshi OOTSUKA, Kiyofumi

HASHIMOTO, Eiji YAMAKAWA and Hideo HOTOMI

For: LIQUID CRYSTAL DISPLAY DEVICE, PORTABLE

ELECTRONIC DEVICE AND DRIVING METHOD

THEREOF

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AMENDMENT

This Amendment is filed in response to the Office Action dated December 10, 2001, which provides for a response period ending March 10, 2002.

A Petition for Extension of Time, to extend the response period for the Office Action, for one (1) additional month to April 10, 2002, is being filed concurrently.

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